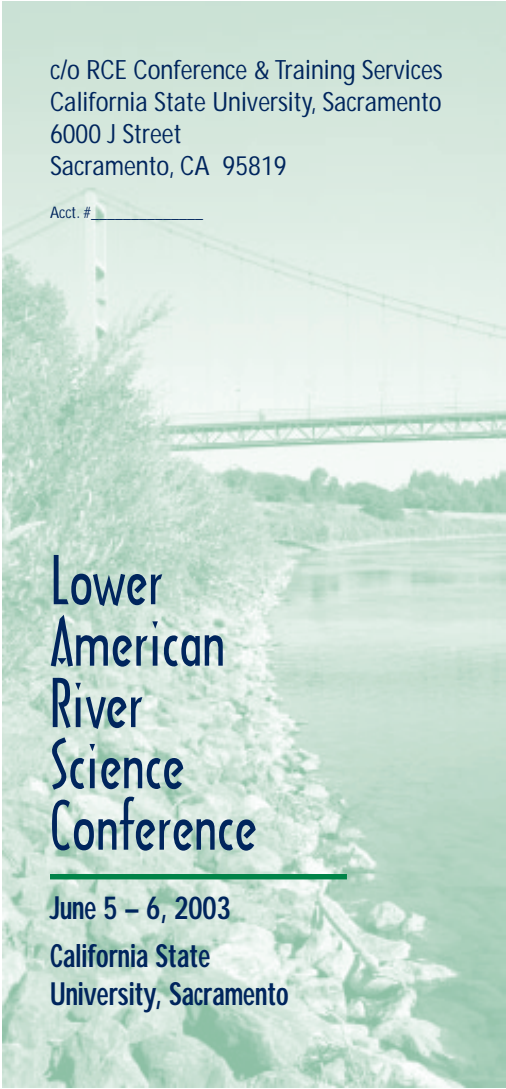


c/o RCE Conference & Training Services
California State University, Sacramento
6000 J Street
Sacramento, CA 95819

Acct. # _____

The background of the entire page is a light green-tinted photograph. It shows a wide river in the foreground, with a rocky shoreline on the left. In the distance, a large suspension bridge spans the river. The sky is clear and light-colored.

Lower American River Science Conference

June 5 – 6, 2003

California State
University, Sacramento

Pre-Sorted
First Class
U.S. Postage
PAID
Permit No. 47
Sacramento, CA

SAVE THE DATES!

June 5 – 6, 2003



California State
University, Sacramento
College of Natural Sciences
and Mathematics

Organized by:

*Bureau of Reclamation
CALFED Bay-Delta Program
California Department
of Fish & Game
California Department
of Water Resources
Floodplain Management
Association
Sacramento Area Flood
Control Agency
Sierra College Natural
History Museum
US Fish and Wildlife Service
US Geological Survey,
Water Resources Division
The Water Forum*

Lower American River Science Conference

The Lower American River is a unique resource of the Sacramento region, making important contributions to the economic, environmental and recreational quality of the region. It is the most heavily used recreational river in California, and many public and private agencies are concerned with its welfare. Factors affecting the health of the river include increased flood control requirements, population growth, rising pressure on water use, changing recreation patterns, new understanding of aquatic ecosystems, fish issues, flow management, and restoration projects.

The Lower American River Science Conference will build on existing information, provide a forum where interested parties can share information about ongoing projects and initiatives, and identify gaps in existing knowledge so that disparate groups can coordinate future research projects. The three concurrent sessions will have the following themes:

- Fish session: Habitat, in-stream flow, fish biology and genetics, effects of dams, and surface water quality.
- Groundwater session: Stream/aquifer interaction, contaminant plumes, ground water vs. surface water basins, and conjunctive use.
- Weather session: Forecasting extreme precipitation in the Sierra Nevada; implications for the American River Watershed. (Available Friday, June 6, 2003 ONLY!)

Who Should Attend: Members of federal, state, and local agencies with regulatory roles on the Lower American River; research agencies; consulting companies; members of the interested public; and academic institutions.

Cost: Pre-registration fee \$75/person, on-site registration fee \$110/person.

One day pre-registration fee \$40/person, one day on-site registration fee \$60/person.

Student rate will be available.

Look for a detailed registration brochure in the mail available March 2003, or on-line at www.cce.csus.edu/conferences

For registration questions or to register, please call (800) 858-7743 or (916) 278-4433.

For technical/content questions, please visit appropriate link on conference website at www.cce.csus.edu/conferences.